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Provisional Filing Fee	03-09-98	\$75.00	\$160.00	\$85.00
Filing Fee	03-08-99	\$380.00	\$740.00	\$360.00
Additional Claims in Excess of 20	03-08-99	\$153.00	\$306.00	\$153.00
Additional Independent Claims in Excess of 3	03-08-99	\$117.00	\$252.00	\$135.00

Total:\$733.00


All errors that occurred were without deceptive intent and in good faith, to the best knowledge of the undersigned. Since rule 28c indicates that the error will be excused upon payment of the deficiency, it is respectfully suggested that this should cure any improper small entity.

No fees are believed necessary for this paper. Please apply any other charges or credits to our deposit account no. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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NOTICE

In re Application of  
Roger panicacci et al  
Application No. 09/264,501  
Filed: March 8, 1999  
Attorney Docket No. 08305/026001

This is a notice regarding your request for acceptance of a fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28. On September 1, 1998, the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit held that 37 CFR 1.28(c) is the sole provision governing the time for correction of the erroneous payment of the issue fee as a small entity. See DH Technology v. Synergystex International, Inc. 154 F.3d 1333, 47 USPQ2d 1865 (Fed. Cir. Sept. 1, 1998).

The Office no longer investigates or rejects original or reissue applications under 37 CFR 1.56. 1098 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 502 (January 3, 1989). Therefore, nothing in this Notice is intended to imply that an investigation was done.

Your fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28 is hereby **ACCEPTED**.

Inquiries related to this communication should be directed to the Office of Petitions Staff at (703) 305-9285.

This file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2612.

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Roger Panicacci et al.

Allowed: November 15, 2004

Application No.: 09/264,501 ✓

Confirmation No.: 3217

Filed: March 8, 1999

Art Unit: 2615

For: READOUT CIRCUIT WITH GAIN  
AND ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL  
CONVERSION FOR IMAGE SENSOR

Examiner: Nhan T. Tran

**REQUEST TO CORRECT PTO RECORDS REGARDING ENTITY STATUS**

MS Issue Fee  
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P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the above-identified application file upon allowance, the undersigned has noticed that the Entity Status was not amended as requested in the Request for Belated Correction of Small Entity Status filed on January 28, 2002. A copy of documents as filed with the PTO stamped postcard receipt is attached for your convenience. Also attached is a copy of the PTO response mailed February 11, 2002 accepting the fee deficiency and noting the correction of the small entity status.

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The PTO is therefore kindly requested to correct its records to reflect large entity status.

Dated: January 10, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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No. (Application, Appeal, Interference, Patent, Reexam) 09/2004-501

Filing or Issue Date MARCH 8, 1999

Title Method of Circuit with Gain + Amplifier to Digital

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☐ Assignment ☐ Status Inquiry

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